

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)	
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Huesca <i>et al.</i>)	Art Unit: 1611
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Application No. 10/579,149)	Examiner: Kudla, Joseph S
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Filing Date: January 19, 2007)	Confirmation: 8922
)	
For: ARYL IMIDAZOLES AND THEIR)	
USE AS ANTI-CANCER AGENTS)	

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action December 8, 2008, please consider the remarks below. In the Office Action, the Examiner set a one-month period in which to reply, *i.e.*, by March 8, 2009. Since March 8 falls on a Sunday, this paper is being submitted on Monday, March 9, 2009 and is therefore timely.

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Remarks begin on page 35 of this paper.